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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applic. No. : 09/848,583 Confirmation No.: 8707
Inventor : Wolfgang Matthes et al.
Filed : May 3, 2001
Title : Cutting Device and Method for Trimming
TC/A.U. : 3724
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REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.194

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 2231-1450

Sir:

Appellants request an *Oral Hearing* before the Board of Appeals in the above-identified application, at the earliest available date.

The fee of \$290.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17 (g) is submitted herewith.

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